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Jurgen DORN

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated March 30, 2009, having a deadline for response of June 30, 2009. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, in light of the amendments and remarks presented herein, are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.